

EIGHTY-SECOND DAY
(Continued)
(Saturday, May 26, 1973)

After Recess

The Senate met at 10:15 o'clock a.m., and was called to order by the President.

Senator Hightower offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

HOUSE BILL 370 ON SECOND READING

The Senate resumed consideration of the pending business, same being H.B. 370 on its second reading and passage to third reading with an amendment by Senator Blanchard to an amendment by Senator Mauzy pending.

Question, Shall the amendment by Senator Blanchard to the amendment by Senator Mauzy be adopted?

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas, May 26, 1973

Honorable William P. Hobby
President of the Senate

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. 1463, and refused to concur in Senate amendments to H.B. 1463 and has requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses.

The motion that H.B. 42 be tabled prevailed by a record vote of 59 Ayes, 55 Noes, with 3 Present-Not voting.

S.B. 484 was laid on the table subject to call.

S.B. 972 was laid on the table subject to call.

H.B. 1030 was read a third time and failed on final passage by a record vote of 62 Ayes, 73 Noes, with 5 Present-Not voting.

S.J.R. 1, Proposing an amendment to Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution, establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts.

S.J.R. 26, Proposing a constitutional amendment stating that the District Court concurrently with the County Court shall have the general jurisdiction of a Probate Court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the District Court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the Legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the District Court or County Court in probate matters, and further providing that the Legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between District Courts, County Courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the Legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals.

S.B. 992, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to presumption of date of death according to a certificate of death issued by the armed services; and declaring an emergency.

H.B. 1673, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the organization, powers, operations, regulation, and liquidation of credit unions and certain prohibited acts, penalties, and sanctions; amending Chapter 186, Acts of the 61st Legislature, Regular Session, 1969 (Articles 2461-1 et seq., Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), by amending Sections 2, 5, 7, Subsection (a) of Section 10, Sections 13, 15, 24, 29, 35, and 36, and adding Section 35A and Subsection (e) to Section 16 and Subsection (c) to Section 18; and declaring an emergency.

H.B. 1749, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 411, Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Session, 1963 (providing for the creation of the Booker Hospital District in the western quarter of Lipscomb County) so as to establish two year terms for directors; providing the District shall provide for the medical care of the inhabitants of the District; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 12, A bill to be entitled An Act creating Harris County Youth Village Independent School District; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 162, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to bi-county day schools for the deaf; amending Subsection (b), Section 11.10, Texas Education Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 166, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the office of district attorney for the 173rd Judicial District; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 202, A bill to be entitled An Act amending the following Articles of the Texas Business Corporation Act: etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 219, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Statutes; relating to the provision of workmen compensation benefits for the employees of community centers for mental health and mental retardation services; and declaring an

emergency.

S.B. 260, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Statutes, vesting the Railroad Commission of Texas with discretionary authority to require motor carrier companies whose principal office is located outside the State of Texas to bear travel expense of the commission, its employees, agents, or representatives attributable to audits and inspections of records and accounts made at said out-of-state locations; and declaring an emergency. (With amendments)

S.B. 305, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fares charged by certain transportation systems; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 335, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the time limit for a parole revocation hearing; amending Section 22, Article 42.12, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1965; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 357, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to programs of teacher training for the teaching of certain disadvantaged students in the public junior colleges; amending Chapter 61, Texas Education Code, by adding Section 61.0631; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 358, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the purposes of public community colleges; amending Section 130.003, Texas Education Code, as amended, by adding Subsection (e); and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 447, A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the creation of the Fisher County Hospital District over all of Fisher County, Texas; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 491, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to changing the name of the board of directors of Texas Southern University; amending Section 106.11, Subchapter B, Chapter 106, Texas Education Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 504, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requirements for the promotion of certain firemen who are covered by civil service; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 506, A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subchapter D, Chapter 21, Texas Education Code, by adding a Section 21.118, to authorize and provide for the establishment and administration of a comprehensive Crime and Narcotics education program encompassing the services and efforts of regional education service centers and Texas school districts; providing guidelines to be considered in program development purposes; providing for an appropriation of State funds in support thereof, and for an effective date of this Act; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 622, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to notice provided in certain health insurance policies as defined in this Act; amending Chapter 3, Insurance Code, as amended, by adding Article 3.42; and declaring an emergency. (With amendment)

S.B. 657, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Article 13.05, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1965; and declaring an emergency. (With amendment)

S.B. 683, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to consolidated bond and other similar obligations issued under the United States Farm Credit Act of 1971, and as later amended; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 692, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the provision of free

textbooks in certain state-approved courses; amending Subsection (c), Section 12.15, Texas Education Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 768, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 10, Chapter 86, Acts of the 60th Legislature, Regular Session, 1967, as amended by Chapter 16, Acts of the 62nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1971 (Article 6228f, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes); providing for assistance payments by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of parks and recreational patrolmen and security officers of municipalities with a population exceeding 250,000 persons, who are commissioned as peace officers who suffer violent death in the course of the performance of their duties; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 769, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the commissioning and classification of peace officers; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 778, A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 21 of the Insurance Code by adding a new Section 18 to Article 21.49-1 (Senate Bill 233, 62nd Legislature of the State of Texas), broadening the application of certain provisions of said Article to cover additional insurers; providing for remedies, penalties, and sanctions, including suspension or revocation of Certificate of Authority of companies failing to comply with said provisions; providing a severance clause; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 780, A bill to be entitled An Act providing for review by the Court of Criminal Appeals; amending Articles 44.24, 44.25, 44.29 and 40.08, and Subsection 3(c) of Article 37.07, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1965; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 791, A bill to be entitled An Act to amend item (1) of subsection (f) of Section 5 and Section 13 of Article 21.49-1, of the Insurance Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 823, A bill to be entitled An Act designating Texas Southern University as a special purpose institution of higher education for urban programming; amending Subchapter A, Chapter 106, Texas Education Code, by adding Section 106.02; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 837, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the unfair claim settlement practices of insurers; amending Chapter 21, Insurance Code, as amended, by adding Article 21.21-2; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 878, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to compensation of the district attorney for the 70th and 161st Judicial Districts; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 882, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the reporting and control of venereal disease; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 900, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the local fund assignment of certain school districts for support of the Foundation School Program; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 905, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the outdoor advertising of alcoholic beverages; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 913, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the change of name of the County Court No. 2 of Galveston County to the Probate Court of Galveston County; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 915, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an independent audit of county books, records, and accounts; amending Article 1641, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 919, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the use of dealer's license plates and tags in certain circumstances; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 931, A bill to be entitled An Act amending subsection 6 of Section V, subsection 6 of Section VII and subsection 4 of Section XII, of Chapter 75, Acts of the Regular Session, 50th Legislature (establishing and regulating the Texas Municipal Retirement System) as previously amended by Chapter 24, Acts of the Regular Session, 51st Legislature, and by Chapter 371, Acts of the Regular Session of the 61st Legislature; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 941, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to mutual fire protection agreements between a Texas border city and its corresponding border city in the Republic of Mexico and the duty status of a Texas fireman responding to a call for fire fighting assistance under the agreement; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 963, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to membership and term of office of the Texas Commission on Interstate Cooperation; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 965, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appointment of the Board of Regents of West Texas State University; amending Section 102.11, Texas Education Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 969, A bill to be entitled An Act amending subsection (c) of Section 16.76 of the Texas Education Code; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 982, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Legislative Property Tax Committee; amending Article 7100, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 983, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to allowances for the official shorthand reporter for the 46th Judicial District; and declaring an emergency. (With amendment)

S.B. 984, A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize municipalities to implement community development programs with federal funds; etc.; and declaring an emergency.

S.B. 987, A bill to be entitled An Act setting the date for certain elections to be held in 1973; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY HALLMAN
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills received from the House, were read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H.B. 611, To Committee on Administration.
H.B. 1025, To Committee on Administration.
H.B. 957, To Committee on Administration.
H.B. 950, To Committee on Administration.

H.B. 612, To Committee on Administration.
 H.B. 105, To Committee on Administration.
 H.B. 176, To Committee on Administration.
 H.B. 1387, To Committee on Administration.
 H.B. 925, To Committee on Administration.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL 1463

Senator Sherman called from the President's table for consideration at this time, the request of the House for a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on H.B. 1463 and moved that the request be granted.

The motion prevailed.

The President asked if there were any motions to instruct the Conference Committee on H.B. 1463 prior to appointment.

There were no motions offered.

Accordingly, the President announced the appointment of the following conferees on the part of the Senate on the bill: Senators Sherman, Moore, McKinnon, McKnight and Harris.

MOTION TO ADD HOUSE BILL 165 TO LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED BILLS CALENDAR

Senator Harris asked unanimous consent that H.B. 165 be added to the Local and Uncontested Bills Calendar.

There was objection.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Senator Hightower submitted the following reports for the Committee on Administration:

C.S.S.R. 798 (Read first time)
 H.B. 922
 S.R. 879
 H.B. 766
 H.B. 873
 S.R. 859
 S.R. 856
 S.B. 997
 S.R. 862
 H.B. 1175
 H.B. 1704
 C.S.S.B. 795 (Read first time)
 H.B. 102
 S.C.R. 123
 H.B. 111
 S.R. 881
 H.B. 78
 H.C.R. 76
 H.B. 992
 C.S.H.B. 427 (Read first time)
 S.R. 869
 H.B. 1048
 H.B. 725

H.B. 1294

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 125 ON SECOND READING

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

S.C.R. 125, Authorizing Senate Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk to correct S.B. 777.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Gammage and by unanimous consent, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

AT EASE

The President announced the Senate at 10:50 o'clock a.m. would stand At Ease Subject to Call of the Chair.

JOINT SESSION

(To Honor Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr.)

The President announced the time had arrived for the Joint Session to honor Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., pursuant to the provisions of S.R. 347 and S.C.R. 95.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives and Members present were announced and were admitted and escorted to seats prepared for them.

The Speaker of the House, on invitation of the President, occupied a seat on the President's Rostrum.

The Governor of Texas, Honorable Dolph Briscoe, was announced and was admitted and escorted to the President's Rostrum.

The Speaker of the House called the House to order and announced a quorum of the House present.

The President called the Senate to order, stated the purpose of the Joint Session and announced a quorum of the Senate present.

The President recognized Senator Jack Hightower, who introduced as distinguished guests present at the Joint Session: Former Members of the House of Representatives, Former Members of the Senate, Former Governor Price Daniel and Mrs. Daniel, Former Governor Allan Shivers, Guests from the First Senatorial District and Members of Senator Aikin's family.

Senator Hightower then introduced Former Senator Ralph Hall, author of Senate Resolution 347 of the Third Called Session of the Sixty-Second Legislature, providing for the portrait of Senator Aikin to be hung in the Senate Chamber.

Senator Hall then addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Thank you Jack. To the very wonderful A. M. Aikin and family, Governor Briscoe, Governor Hobby, Speaker Daniel, all of the many members and former members, I think that I should first say that I am glad to be back. I'm sorry that I am a little late. You know we all think of coming back. I was speaking to my children the other day about maybe running again, as all politicians who are as through as I am speak of, and my youngest son said I can figure out who

you can beat. He said, if you can find a Democrat that's been caught up in Sharpstown, that has moved over to the Republican party, and caught up in Watergate, you are a cinch. And before I get into it, Governor Hobby, and before I tell you what a great job you are doing I would tell you that the Republicans are not the first to think of a bug. I thought of it but I just couldn't raise enough money to get to Houston.

"To be very brief and to the point, Senator Aikin, I'm of course pleased to find that my ten years in the Senate yielded as the very last official act Senate Resolution 347 that culminates today with thanks to Charlie Schnabel, Tommy Townsend, to the work of Jack Hightower, Senator Word and others on his very fine committee. Blessed and sanctioned by Governor Hobby and Speaker Daniel, and honored by Governor Briscoe's attendance here today - is the culmination in this great declaration to you of appreciation for a man whose portrait will hang and be viewed in the decades ahead as a portrait of what I think will be termed the Father of modern day education. I think as groups come and go they will know that they look upon the face of a man who dared to believe that educators should be compensated commensurate with the value of their finished product. As a man who dared to believe that opportunity in education was the answer and the salient answer to poverty, bigotry, ignorance and indifference. I think certainly that your very legendary accomplishments in the field of education have been overshadowed and have overshadowed your many other gifts. Your long and hard work in the perplexing and difficult field of finance, your long hours sitting on the Finance Committee, your work to keep this a good industrial state for the worker and owner alike. I hope also that the generations that will view this portrait and those that stand at the Senate desk will know that you were a human man, kind and sensitive, loved by everyone who touched you, everyone who knew you. A man who knew the satisfying and exhilarating feeling of success after success in the political podium. And yet one who knew the loneliness of defeat. I hope that they will look upon you as a man who knew the dejection, the hopelessness of the hours that you spent and these good people from Paris and your friends spent outside the intensive care ward. And yet a man who knows the good health that you know today and that we pray will continue. You have known the happiness of grandchildren at your feet, of a fine and close son and a great and loving and understanding and unswerving wife. A. M., you are a great man and we are all here today to tell you that. And we have to hang in this hall a portrait of you. I believe, A.M., that you will forever be remembered as the epitome of honest public servants. And certainly illustrative of the dedication of this 63rd Legislature and its leadership. All of us here are pleased to be a part of this day. Mrs. Welma, if you and Senator Hightower will come forward for the unveiling."

The portrait of Senator Aikin was then unveiled and presented to the President to be hung in the Senate Chamber.

The President presented Speaker of the House Price Daniel, Jr., who introduced the Honorable Menton Murray, Member of the House of Representatives. Mr. Murray addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Governor Briscoe, Governor Hobby, Speaker Daniel, distinguished visitors and guests, ladies and gentlemen. Senator Aikin, from one Dean to another, Hi.

"I take the text for my preaching today from that gem of English literature Goldsmith's Deserted Village. Where, in describing the feeling of the villagers toward the venerable school master, Goldsmith wrote these words, 'And still they gazed and still the wonder grew that one small head could carry all he knew.' That's my friend Senator A. M. Aikin. Quiet, unassuming, knowledgeable, a man who gets the job done while the other fellow is searching for an excuse for not doing it. This man needs no eulogizing. His wondrous

deeds are all about us. And his friends, something you earn through years of devoted service and thoughtfulness, are all about us today bespeaking clearly and eloquently the kind of man Senator Aikin is. For myself and your host of friends across the Rotunda in the House of Representatives, Senator Aikin, may I say simply and sincerely, conscious of your many accomplishments throughout the years, we fondly salute you today for what you are, Dean of all Texas Legislators. And when you complete your next forty years of service to the State of Texas and go on to your eternal reward, may the inscription on your headstone read: Here lies a swell guy who during his life always plucked a thistle and planted a flower where he thought a flower would grow."

The President then introduced Governor Dolph Briscoe, who addressed the Joint Session, as follows:

"Governor Hobby, Speaker Daniel, Governor Shivers, Governor Daniel, many distinguished guests, members of the 63rd legislature and, particularly, Senator and Mrs. A. M. Aikin. It is indeed a great honor for me to have had the privilege of signing the proclamation that declared this day to be A. M. Aikin, Jr. Day in Texas. This is a tradition that has very seldom been broken in the history of the State of Texas - that this state honor a living human being. But I think it is most fitting that this tradition that has been kept historically by the governor's office, be broken today to honor this great Texan. When I hit the legislature as a freshman member in 1949, the Gilmer-Aikin Bill had been prepared. The bill was introduced in the Senate by Senator Aikin. The Senate was presided over then by Allan Shivers. It was in those months that I had the privilege of knowing this great man. Learning to respect him and, yes, learning to love him because if you know him, knowing him is to love him. And I think everyone in this room today would agree with that statement. We have today a proclamation making this A. M. Aikin Day throughout Texas. It is with great pride and great pleasure that I make that again Senator, and say to you that truly the eyes of all Texas are shining upon you today with great pride. Pride in your accomplishments, pride in what you stand for because you are truly a giant of our times. I express to you today the appreciation of every Texan for what you have done to make Texas a better place in which to live, a better place in which to raise our children. You will forever be an inspiration to future generations, and I know that I speak again for everyone in this room when I say that it is with great pride that I call you my friend. Thank you."

The President of the Senate introduced Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., who addressed the Joint Session:

"Governor Briscoe, Lt. Governor Hobby, Mr. Speaker Daniel, distinguished guests all of you. I can't honestly say that I wasn't aware of this, but I can say honestly that I didn't know much about it. They didn't tell me enough. Jack Hightower told me he thought there would be forty or fifty people, and he really told me that. Lewis Williams did let me know that there were going to be some buses from home. But when Ben Munson came over this morning and said we had buses from Sherman, and Denison and Roy Doyle came in, I knew that I should have known more. I do not have a prepared text. There isn't any way that I could express to you how I feel. Senator Hall introduced this resolution and that slipped up on me. I think he told you the truth when he said it was one of the last official acts of that session. There are people here that I wish you could know. I have some people in the gallery that I went to school in Milton with, and if you don't know where Milton is, it's four miles from Minter, that's where it is. I said to the Senate when they passed the resolution setting this day aside that I didn't know the English language well enough to say to you how much I appreciate it.

"My friendship with Governor Daniel and Jean has been over a long period of years, and I've watched the Speaker grow up. He's been more than nice to me

all session and, of course, I didn't expect anything else, but when this resolution went over there, he kept it so long. The resolution was passed here on Friday, the House had a Saturday session, and Monday morning it was read back over here. There are some Senators, some of my former colleagues, none of the present ones, that seem to forget sometimes that the House of Representatives exists. That's an error, that's a real error. Don't ever forget the House of Representatives, because a bill that doesn't pass both Houses never becomes a law. I am most grateful and most appreciative - I think this is the most House members I've ever seen at a Joint Session, and I appreciate it more than I can tell you. My own Representative, George Preston, is sitting here right on the front row. Ben Munson's been over here. I see Bill Sullivan over here, Ed Howard, and I was just about to take in Walt Parker over here and Joe, because Walt and I have been on that conference committee for about three weeks. I can tell you, Mr. Speaker, I appreciated what you had to say. But I can return the compliment. That's, I think, the best committee I've ever seen. And I feel like they did a good job, and the chair man, Neil Caldwell, is sitting out here with Senator Schwartz.

"And I would say to you that no man could possibly deserve all the things that you say. I would say to you this, that I have tried the best I could. I know that I've made many mistakes, but to have something like this, and to have the former members of the Senate - I see Judge Harris sitting out there, and I think he's the only one that I served with both in the House and the Senate together. And, of course, I could call names here all day. One of the best friends I ever did have, Ben Barnes and Nancy are sitting out here, and Allan Shivers sitting over there. It means so much. I've served under both of them as Lt. Governor, and Governor Shivers, we were on the same program the other night down at Beaumont. He said when he was Lt. Governor he was pretty sure there wasn't much need for a Governor, but that when he became Governor, he was quite sure there wasn't any need at all for a Legislature. Now, I imagine Governors feel like that, but I say to you again, members of the House and Senate, and those of you up here that have made this effort to come here today and make this day the greatest day in my life, let me just say this to you - I owe you much, I love you much, and though I know I can't, I'll do the very best I can to live as close to what Ralph Hall, Governor Briscoe, Mr. Speaker, and Mr. President had to say. And, certainly, I appreciate more than I can tell you my good friend, Menton Murray, and they've been our good friends over a long period of years. I've been in their home and we've served together down here, and to have the Dean of the House come over and say the things that he did, and I tell you that I know him well enough that he wouldn't have said it if he didn't mean it, because he's just like that. And so I thank you all from the bottom of my heart. You have paid me the highest honor that I ever had in my life. I don't know English well enough to tell you how much I appreciate it. My family's sitting out here. They were introduced to you a while ago. Our family is a rather close-knit family. And you'll never know what it means to us, and I include them, in expressing to you our very deep and sincere appreciation. Thank you very much."

Mrs. A. R. Schwartz, President of the Senate Ladies Club, presented Mrs. Aikin with a bouquet of red roses.

The Speaker of the House announced the purpose of the Joint Session having been concluded, the House would take recess until 2:30 o'clock p.m. on a motion previously adopted.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Aikin, the Senate at 11:35 o'clock a.m. took recess until 3:00 o'clock p.m. today.

After Recess

The President called the Senate to order at 3:00 o'clock p.m. today.

HOUSE BILL 370 ON SECOND READING

The Senate resumed consideration of the pending business, same being H.B. 370 on its second reading and passage to third reading with an amendment by Senator Blanchard to an amendment by Senator Mauzy pending.

Question, Shall the amendment by Senator Blanchard to the amendment by Senator Mauzy be adopted?

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Moore the Senate at 3:12 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 3:20 o'clock p.m. today.

RECORD OF VOTES

Senators Blanchard, Mauzy, Harrington and Clower asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the motion to adjourn.

EIGHTY-THIRD DAY
(Saturday, May 26, 1973)

The Senate met at 3:20 o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Adams, Aikin, Andujar, Blanchard, Braecklein, Brooks, Clower, Creighton, Gammage, Harrington, Harris, Herring, Hightower, Jones, Kothmann, Longoria, Mauzy, McKinnon, McKnight, Meier, Mengden, Moore, Ogg, Patman, Santiesteban, Schwartz, Sherman, Snelson, Traeger, Wallace and Wolff.

A quorum was announced present.

Senator Max Sherman offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

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Honorable William P. Hobby
President of the Senate